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THE MONTH OF MARCH IS DEDICATED TO ST. JOSEPH

WEEK COMMENCING 15th March 2026 - YEAR A

Saturday 14th March 9.30am 10.00am 5.00pm	FERIA Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary Holy Mass- People of the Parish Holy Mass – Paddy Mc Donnell-Get well intentions
Sunday 15th March 8:30 am 10.00am 11.00am 12.00pm	The Fourth Sunday of Lent Holy Mass –Antony Paul RIP 2nd Anniversary Holy Mass –Ambrose Aboodass RIP Coffee and Tea – Church Hall Holy Mass- James Forrest-RIP
Monday 16th March	NO MASS
Tuesday 17th March 9.30am 10.00am	SAINT PATRICK Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary Holy Mass – Kazimiera Grzybek RIP
Wednesday 18th March 9.30am 10.00am	SAINT JOSEPH Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary Holy Mass- P Joseph Vadakke Veedu Get well intentions
Thursday 19th March 9.30am 10.00am	FERIA Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary Holy Mass – Roger Antony Intentions To find A Job
Friday 20th March 9.30 am 10.00am 10.30 am 6.00pm 6.30pm	FERIA Station of the Cross Holy Mass –Wanjiru Birthday Intentions Coffee and Tea – Sacristy Station of the Cross Holy Mass Mary Miangi Thanksgiving &Family tree
Saturday 21st March 9.30am 10.00am 5.00pm	FERIA Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary Holy Mass- Cesar Vallejo RIP Holy Mass – Mark Dubey Health & Well being
Sunday 22nd March 8:30 am 10.00am 11.00am 12.00pm	The Fifth Sunday of Lent Holy Mass –People of the Parish Holy Mass – People of the Parish Coffee and Tea – Church Hall Holy Mass- Sahira Byrne RIP

THE SANCTUARY LAMP

Burning this week for: In honour of St Joseph
ALL Requests via the sacristy, recommended donation £10
With grateful thanks for the generosity of our Parishioners and Visitors our collection for last Sunday
1ST Collection: £355
Maintenance: £79.68
TOTAL: £434.68
May Our Lord reward you for your kind generosity

CONFESSION

Tuesday – Friday – 9am-10am Holy Mass
Saturday – After 10am Holy Mass and 4.30pm-4.50pm

Parish Announcements

Special Anniversary Mass: Couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary this year—whether it is your 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or more are warmly invited to a special Mass. Date: July 11 at 3:00 pm At St George's Cathedral Archbishop John Wilson will celebrate the Mass. To attend, please submit your application to flsw@rcaos.org.uk.

Safeguarding Requirements: To ensure the safety and well-being of our community, all individuals serving in parish ministries are required to complete a new safeguarding form. Our representative, Maryann, will be distributing these. Please fill them out promptly, as this is a vital requirement for everyone involved in ministry

Visits to the Housebound & Easter Blessings: In the days leading up to Holy Week, I am available to visit our housebound parishioners. If you or someone you know would like a visit, please give your details to Deacon Saleem. Our Eucharistic Ministers will continue their regular schedule of bringing Communion to the housebound. Additionally, if you would like an Easter House Blessing, please let us know in the coming days.

The Easter Triduum schedule is given separately. Please take one with you and plan your Easter so that you may prepare for and participate in the Easter Triduum fruitfully.

Message from Father Sebastian:

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is also known as Laetare Sunday, which means "Rejoice." It serves as a joyful pause in our Lenten journey, reminding us that the light of Easter is drawing near. In the Gospel, Jesus heals a man born blind, presenting himself as the Light of the World and offering a remedy for the darkness of sin and error. While our modern culture often only accepts what can be physically seen or scientifically verified, this Gospel reminds us that the most essential truths are often invisible to the eye and seen only with the heart. We are challenged to recognize two kinds of blindness: the physical loss of sight and the interior blindness of thinking we can manage life without God's help. By welcoming and trusting in Jesus, we move beyond our own limitations to access the fullness of life and the whole truth about ourselves. Jesus desires for each of us to grow in our own faith and to give bold witness even when we are faced with contradiction or conflict. Just like the man in the Gospel, we are called to move from darkness into the discovery of the true light of Christ. As we come close to the celebration of the Paschal Mystery of Jesus, we ask the Lord for the grace we need to celebrate it worthily and to attain the true light joyfully.

Stations of the Cross & Holy Mass-Every Friday during Lent, we will walk the Way of the Cross together.
Morning: 9:30 am Stations. & Evening: 6:00 pm Stations [Followed by Masses at both times]